



REPLY TO
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON - REDSTONE
4488 MARTIN ROAD
REDSTONE ARSENAL, ALABAMA 35898-5000

19 APR 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR Propulsion and Structures Directorate, (AMSRD-RD-PS, Mr. J. M. Lyon),
Building 7120, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama 35898

SUBJECT: Award for Environmental Stewardship

1. Congratulations! I am extremely pleased to inform you that the Propulsion and Structures Directorate has been selected to receive the US Army Garrison - Redstone Environmental Compliance Award. This award is presented annually in recognition of environmental stewardship.
2. This year the Propulsion and Structures Directorate is recognized for being proactive in the clean-up and disposal of over 700+ hazardous wastes/items from various locations within the organization. Specifically, Mr. Glynn Woods and Mr. Steve Caudill, initiated a program to clear out unnecessary and unused hazardous chemicals. This reduction resulted in a decrease in future waste management and disposal costs and lessened the risks of non-compliance with environmental regulations. Letters of Appreciation recognizing these two individual's accomplishment are enclosed.
3. The award will be publicly announced and presented at Redstone Arsenal's annual Earth Day event on Thursday, 22 April 2004 at the Path to Nature beginning at 0900. We hope that you will be able to join us for this event and the celebration of the collective accomplishments of our award winners. Person/persons designated to receive awards should arrive by 0830.
4. Please notify Ms. Gabrielle Ehinger, Natural Resources Division (AMSAM-RA-DES-NR), 876-3977, as to who will be accepting the award for the Propulsion and Structures Directorate.

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ROBERT J. DEVLIN
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Mr. Steve Caudill
ERC, Inc.
Building 7120
Redstone Arsenal, Alabama 35898

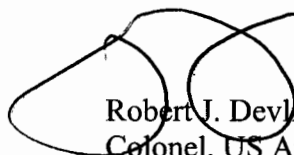
Dear Mr. Caudill:

On behalf of Redstone Arsenal, I want to congratulate you for the significant accomplishment involving the clean-up and disposal of over 700+ hazardous wastes/items from throughout the Propulsion and Structures Directorate. I want to commend you and the rest of the individuals who supported you on this project.

I understand this is just the first phase of a continuing effort to reduce the amount of hazardous chemicals, some of which were leaking, exceeding shelf life, or were no longer to be used for their intended purpose. This reduction will result in a decrease in future management and disposal costs, as well as greatly diminish the risks of non-compliance with environmental regulations. Your undertaking should serve as a good example for other organizations in the Redstone community who manage hazardous materials and wastes.

I would like to express my appreciation of your efforts. Your professionalism, as documented by this project, brings great credit to you, the Propulsion and Structures Directorate of the Research, Development, and Engineering Center and the US Army Garrison - Redstone.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Devlin
Colonel, US Army
Garrison Command



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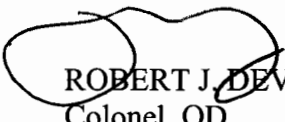
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MEMORANDUM FOR Propulsion and Structures Directorate (AMSRD-AMR-PS-PT, Mr. Hiram G. Woods), Building 7120, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama 35898

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Commendation

1. On behalf of Redstone Arsenal, I want to congratulate you for the significant accomplishment involving the clean-up and disposal of over 700+ hazardous wastes/items from throughout the Propulsion and Structures Directorate. I want to commend you and the rest of the individuals who supported you on this project.
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**Directorate of Environment and Safety
Redstone Arsenal**

2004 COMPLIANCE AWARD

Awardee: Propulsion and Structures Directorate

Contribution: The Propulsion and Structures Directorate has dramatically reduced their hazardous material inventory making their operations more cost effective and reducing the risk of non-compliance.

Justification: Propulsion and Structures Directorate is continuing its effort to reduce the amount of hazardous chemicals they manage, some of which were leaking, exceeding shelf life, or were no longer to be used for their intended purpose. This reduction will result in a decrease in management and disposal costs, as well as, greatly diminish the risks of non-compliance with environmental regulations.

Results (hazardous material containers):

- Current inventory of 4691 Hazardous Material containers
- 681 containers in recent turn-in (approx 13% of hazardous chemical inventory)
- 550 + containers in-process
- Total turn-in expected 1231+ containers (approx 21% of hazardous chemical inventory)

Benefit: Propulsion and Structures Directorate efforts serves as a good example for other organizations in the Redstone community who manage hazardous materials and wastes. By reducing the materials to only those that are necessary, they have reduced their long-term operating costs (purchase, storage, and disposal if not used of chemicals) and the risks of non-compliance with hazardous material and hazardous waste regulations.





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